

Docket No.: 062386-0043



PATENT

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of	:	Customer Number: 20277
WAYNE D. COMPER	:	Confirmation Number: 6164
Application No.: 10/721,351	:	Group Art Unit: 1648
Filed: November 26, 2003	:	Examiner: Stacy Brown Chen
For: METHOD FOR KIDNEY DISEASE TREATMENT BY DRUG INTERVENTION	:	

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

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Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated August 4, 2005, now due to expire November 4, 2005, be extended for three month(s) and set to expire on February 4, 2006.

Please charge the extension fee of \$510.00 to Deposit Account No. 500417. Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 500417.

Respectfully submitted,

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